

## ABSTRACT

An electrophotosensitive material comprising a supporting substrate, an intermediate layer containing a thermosetting resin formed on the supporting substrate, and a photosensitive layer formed on the intermediate layer, wherein a contact angle of the surface of the intermediate layer is not less than a value ( $A^\circ$ ) represented by the formula:  $A^\circ = B^\circ - 2^\circ$  in which  $B^\circ$  is a contact angle corresponding to an intersection of a first approximation linear line and a second approximate linear line minus  $2^\circ$  in a correlation curve between a residual potential of the photosensitive material comprising the predetermined photosensitive layer formed on the intermediate layer containing the thermosetting resin and a contact angle of the intermediate layer containing the thermosetting resin. According to this photosensitive material, it is possible to obtain a good image, which has a low residual potential and is free from fog.